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190250-1780

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In re Application of  
Diane C. Thornton

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For  
Drawing Conversion Assignment and Management  
System

Group Art Unit  
2128

Examiner  
Gebresilassie, Kibrom K.

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b))

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